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HOME (CIVIL DEFENCE) DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATION

The 6th March, 2024

S.R.O.No.120/2024—In exercise of the powers conferred by proviso to Article 309 of the Constitution of India, the Governor of Odisha is pleased to make the following rules to amend the Odisha Civil Defence Group A and Group B officers (Method of recruitment and Condition of Service) Rules, 2018, namely:-

1. Short title and commencement:- (1) These rules may be called the Odisha Civil Defence Group A and Group B officers (Method of recruitment and Condition of Service) Amendment Rules, 2024.

(2) They shall come into force on the date of their publication in the *Odisha Gazette*.

2. In the Odisha Civil Defence Group A and Group B officers (Method of recruitment and Condition of Service) Rules, 2018, in **APPENDIX-B, in** Para.3, for Clause (B), the following clause shall be substituted, namely:-

"(B) The physical efficiency tests shall comprise of the following events :-

(i) For Men of all categories-

- (a) Running of 1.6 Kms in 8 Minutes; and
- (b) Long Jump of 3.66 Meters in length in three attempts.

(ii) For Women of all Categories-

- (a) Running of 1.6 Kms in 10 Minutes; and
- (b) Long Jump of 2.77 Meters in length in three attempts.

Note: Failure in completing of the Physical Efficiency Test in the prescribed time or attempts shall lead to disqualification from the selection process".

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By Order of the Governor

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